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H PASS HONORABLE NEWTON I. STEERS, JR.
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON DC

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SHUM, AR, CVIS
SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE: CLERGY REPORTED TO HAVE DISAPPEARED IN BUENOS AIRES,
ARGENTINA

1. IN RESPONSE TO YOUR REQUEST OF JUNE 22, 1978, THE EMBASSY IS MAKING INQUIRIES WITH THE FOREIGN OFFICE'S WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS REGARDING PABLO GAZZARI (461/78/7), CARLOS BUSTOS (460/78/7) AND SANTIAGO MAQUIRE (497/78/8).

2. EMBASSY PRESENTED AN INQUIRY REGARDING MAURICE SILVA'S DISAPPEARANCE TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE'S WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS ON APRIL 4, 1978. TO DATE, WE HAVE RECEIVED NO REPLY. WE ALSO PRESENTED INQUIRIES ON SISTER LEONIE DUQUET (242/77/12) AND SISTER ALICIA DOMON (233/77/12). WE HAVE HAD NO REPLIES AS YET.

3. THE US CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST REGARDING THESE CASE HAS BEEN COMMUNICATED TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE. THESE CASES WILL CONTINUE TO BE MONITORED BY THE EMBASSY AND WE
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4. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.
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